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RUSSIA'S INTERNAL FIGHT.

THE BUREAUCRACY BATTLING FOR THE OLD SYSTEM.

Moderate Demands of the Progressive Party-Admiral Alexieff Leader of the Party Opposing Them-Hard Task Before Prince Sviatopolk Mirsky.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 28 .- While hatching midnight conspiracies in any capital the ringleaders would be expected to talk in whispers in the back parlors of back streets. The leaders of the moderate progressive party in Russia, allowed for the first time to formulate some conservative suggestions as to local administration. have just found that they too are expected to hide themselves away like dangerous

They are here to the number of seventyfive to form the long heralded zemstvo conference. It is not a large gathering. and St. Petersburg is a city of large public buildings. You come on one at every corner, for the Government, with a view to possible military emergencies, has placed its offices all over the city so that they may immediately be converted into barracks in any quarter where trouble becomes

But it has taken elaborate care that none of them shall be used for the discussions of the zemstvo representatives. It has, moreover, forbidden the municipality to allow them the use of any room in the City Hall, because that building is near the Nevski Prospect, the main avenue of the capital, and if their meetings became known crowds might gather and cheer them, which would be outrageous.

It is in this setting that we have to look for the birth of the new policy. There is abundant evidence, as everybody has foreseen, that thousands of eager hands will be stretched out from the Ministry of the Interior, from the Holy Synod and from the Department of Education to strangle the infant should it ever see the light The Minister himself, the well meaning Prince Sviatopolk Mirsky, has allowed the conference to meet and apparently is powerless to do more.

Instead of personally welcoming the members when they arrived he was himself summoned to Gatchina by the Dowager-Czarina to receive a lecture on the encouragement he was giving to disorder by not obeying the behests of the Holy Synod, which, he was given to understand, was the proper ministry to guide Russians in the way they should go.

It is unfortunately true that the Prince's health is unequal to keeping up a vigorous struggle with the powerful and unscrupulous adherents of reaction. He suffers from almost chronic asthma; and if, as seems likely, he is compelled to spend much time out of the capital on his dryer and warmer estate in the south, his enemies may be depended on to wreck his best laid schemes while he is away.

But he is honestly trying to do the right thing in the appointment of provincial governors. He has put over the province of Tver, between here and Moscow-which is regarded as the most progressive in Russia -Prince Oarousoff, who has been Governor of Kishineff since the removal of Plehve's

favorite Jew murderer. Given the conditions under which every man in this system must work, Prince Oarousoff has done well in Kishineff. He dispensed with the agent provocateur, the anti-Semitic patriot who was a numerous and favorite paid agent of his predecessor. He is succeeded there by Prince Sviatopolk Mirsky's former personal secretary which t at Vilna, a man in sympathy with his chief's

The success of the policy must depend almost wholly on the personal character of the agents who apply it. Their discretionary powers, especially if their province is far from the capital, is practically un-

The Governor of Baku seems to have fere will their s fully appreciated the fact, for he has ad- civil servants he vertised a complete defiance of Prince Sviatopolk Mirsky and all his works. No one dare print or publish within his province this separation them

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Minister or any of the latter's utterances. It is not even permitted to print the names from the Government Gazette of men whom he has allowed to return from banishment. Yet this Governor of Baku holds his post and there is no attempt to remove or tame

It is in the conservatism and moderation of the zemstvo programme that its strength lies. Its leaders are practical men of affairs-landowners who personally manage their estates, a few merchants and lawyers, and some representatives of the peasant

Their demands in the matter of local government, of education, of peasant laws, are all in the same direction. They ask that the present system of civil service graft be curtailed. It will not be stopped in this generation, but if their movement has any success it will not spread; and if its growth is arrested, there is the hope that with the beginning of public opinion

it may be fought as it is in other lands. Local taxation is at present all gathered into the central treasury at St. Petersburg and is there dealt with behind closed doors and with no accounts published. The merchants or peasants who pay it have not the slightest voice in its application.

Millions of rubles have been extracted from provinces where there are no roads to take the harvest to the railway, where there is no education, where there is no system for improving agriculture or cattle breeding, and have gone to build-ing docks at Dalny and Vladivostok and Port Arthur, and the struggling farmers at home must stand by helpless. What the leaders of the zemstvos, the provincial councils, ask is that they be allowed to nominate a proportion of the members

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They ask, further, that they be allowed to take part in framing local regulations, to have all come as peremptory try of the Interior. edicte from lly been to increase tionaries and their eting public money. The zameto at henceforth the a at developing the ficts to which they regulat one resources of thus daring to interare applied. It signed spoil that the ive locked all their

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any address of congratulation to the new | zemstvo party has found a meeting place in the remote industrial part of the city in the People's Theatre, built by the Countess Panin on the Obvodny Canal. They know how precious is their present opportunity and they have held continuous sessions. Moreover, they avoid public attention or demonstration as likely to jeopard what chance their proposals have of being accepted by the Minister.

And who is it that the reactionaries have found since Plehve's death to lead the resistance against the overwhelming public sentiment in favor of better conditions? The evidence points to Admiral Alexieff.

Whatever his defects he is a man of energy. and he has all the self-assertion needed for the champion of armed force against the civil population. Yet it is not an in-

spiring selection. Russians take no pride in the fat. loquacious little Armenian, with his veiled, dark eyes and southern head. You could see it at the sham ceremony of his arrival here from Manchuria. The chiefs of the Admiralty had to be there to meet him, they regarding the Viceroy-Admiral with something like hate and anger, he rounding on them with hate and cunning; neither making

any advance of spontaneous welcome. But while he continues in the favor of his imperial relations he will never be in the background. To him zemstvos and local self-government are synonymous with treason against the autocracy which, as he holds, should be represented in the provinces by satraps such as he was in Manchuria.

The great line of demarcation in Russia the vested privileges of the members of the imperial family and all the paid permanent state functionaries on one side and the national popular sentiment on the other will probably again bring him into antagonism with Kuropatkin. But even should the latter win battles and the administration of Sviatopolk Mirsky be as enlightened as its friends can hope, there will still remain against them the dead wall of official obstruction, held by men whose defiance may be removed only by the means that have been adopted in Russia before.

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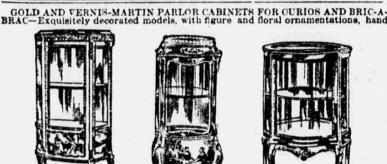
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